



CRF Problem Report

The Scientific and Technical Information Center (STIC) experienced a problem when processing the following computer readable form (CRF):

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Nature of Problem:

The CRF (was):

- ☐ (circle one) Damaged or Unreadable (for Unreadable, see attached)
- ☐ Blank (no files on CRF) (see attached)
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Proteins

Cross References to Related Applications

This application claims the priority of Swiss patent application 1277/99, filed July 9, 1999, the disclosure of which is incorporated herein by reference in its entirety.

Technical Field

The present invention relates to polymorphisms, in particular deoxyribonucleic acids (DNA or DNS)-